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Mississippi Farmers Market to Extend Days of Operation

Warmer weather means more fresh Mississippi-grown fruits and vegetables ready for harvest. Starting this Tuesday, May 15th, the Mississippi Farmers Market will extend its days of operation to accommodate for the increase of available produce. Summer operating hours are Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

The Mississippi Farmers Market provides an outlet for Mississippi farmers to sell directly to the consumer. The Market also provides an assortment of fresh baked goods, specialty foods, and unique Mississippi hand-crafted items.

The Mississippi Farmers Market, located at 929 High Street adjacent to the Fairgrounds, is open on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The Market will celebrate its 2012 Summer Kick-off on Saturday, June 9th. For more information about the Market or to find out what's fresh each week, call (601) 354-6573, visit www.msfarmersmarket.com, or visit the Mississippi Farmers Market on Facebook.

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